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To: Chumble, Prasad [Chumble.Prasad@epa.gov]

Subject: Action Info Form and Action Memo

Attachments: San6069 ActionInfoForm RSJ.docx; San6069 PBSGuidance-Draft ActionMemo 2019-03-11 RSJ.docx; rin2070-

ZA21 EO12866 PBSGuidance-Draft FRdocument 2019-02-15 Clean Copy 2019-03-07.docx

Importance: High

Prasad:

Attached are the revised Action Info Memo and the Action Memo itself. They have both been revised to reflect the information in the 3/7/2019 Clean Copy of the FR notice (also attached).

Specifically:

- 1. the "Summary" in the FR has been placed in the "Purpose" section of the Action Info Form and the Action Memo
- 2. The "Overview" in the FR has been placed in the "Background" section of the Action Info Form and the Action Memo.

If this is not the correct, let me know.

FYI: Something strange is going on with the layout of the Action Memo (you will see what I mean when you open the file.

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From: Chumble, Prasad

Sent: Monday, March 11, 2019 8:37 AM **To:** Jones, Russell < Jones.Russell@epa.gov>

Subject: Guidance Next Steps

Here it is.

From: Chun, Melissa

Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 11:46 AM

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Subject: FW: EO 12866 Interagency Review: EPA's Guidance for Plant Biostimulant Products: Label Claims Excluded or Regulated under FIFRA as Plant Regulator Claims (RIN 2070-ZA21) - EPA's Responses to the Interagency Comments - Update

Hi all,

I checked with Danielle this morning. She forwarded the responses to the interagency reviewers and they will need to get their comments back to her next Monday. The interagency reviewers included OMB and USDA. Please note that USDA may ask for an extension.

Depending on what happens, she will either send pass back comments or close review.

Next steps?

We should start preparing the signature package for Rick's sign-off, then to Alex for signature.

These are the documents for the signature package:

- 1. FR Notice of Availability (for AA's signature) (RICS will revise the typeset document after OMB concludes review. Angela already has this in Share Point.)
- 2. Action Information Form (BPPD needs to review and update the draft.)
- 3. Typesetting Request Form https://intranet.epa.gov/ocsppwrk/intrarcs/typeset.pdf (BPPD needs to fill in the information and get the funding request signed.)
- 4. Docket Verification and Certification Form https://intranet.epa.gov/fdmsinfo/Forms/OCSPP%20Docket%20Verification%20and%20Certification%20Form.p df (BPPD needs to fill in the form and route it to the Docket Staff, call Anthia Peters if you need help.)
- 5. Draft Guidance Document (The final, clean version after OMB concludes review.)
- 6. Communications Materials (Check with Kaythi Han. I've attached Linda Strauss' e-mail with the list serve information.)
- 7. Action Memo (BPPD needs to update the draft.)

Sara and Prasad can help with the signature package.

Prasad, I'll need to send you the materials for the EO Documentation after OMB concludes review because you'll need the original documents as submitted and the final redlines. The final clean version of the guidance document will also need to be added to the docket.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

-Melissa

From: Chun, Melissa

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Hi Danielle,

I am pleased to provide EPA's responses to the interagency reviewer comments. The draft guidance document and draft FR document include our redline edits and responses to the comments that were received from the interagency reviewers on 12/15/2018 and 1/30/2019 and the comments that were discussed during our call with DOJ on 2/14/19.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Also please let me know if you would like to schedule a call with the interagency folks to discuss our responses.

Thanks!

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